

TREASURER-TAX COLLECTOR COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO

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DAN McALLISTER Treasurer-Tax Collector

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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PROPERTY TAXES ARE DUE TUESDAY, APRIL 10th

Pay Online and Avoid the Crowd!

San Diego County Treasurer-Tax Collector Dan McAllister issued a reminder this morning to all San Diego County property owners that the second installment of their 2006-07 property taxes is due no later than Tuesday, April 10.

"The most convenient way to pay is in the comfort of your home, by using a computer and accessing our Web site at www.sdtreastax.com," said McAllister. He estimated that more than 16 % of all property taxes, or \$650 million, will be paid online this year.

For those who prefer to pay their bills in person, the main office at the County Administration Center, as well as the Kearny Mesa, Chula Vista, El Cajon and San Marcos branch offices, will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. next Tuesday, April 10. The Kearny Mesa branch office will also be open Saturday, April 7, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. (See attachment for all addresses.)

As an added convenience to Taxpayers, the Property Tax Tent will be open on the South Lawn of the County Administration Center during regular business hours (8 a.m. to 5 p.m.) on Thursday, April 5; Friday, April 6; and Monday, April 9. The "Tax Tent" is a temporary but full-service location where taxpayers can access the same property tax assistance and services that they would receive at a regular office location.

EDITORS: San Diego County Treasurer-Tax Collector Dan McAllister is available for interviews at the Tax Tent. To set up an interview, please contact Mary Cowell at 531-5225.

TAX PAYMENT FACTS

Branch Locations*:

Downtown San Diego: 1600 Pacific Highway, Room 162

(County Administration Center)

El Cajon:

200 South Magnolia Avenue

Chula Vista:

590 Third Avenue

San Marcos:

141 East Carmel Street

Kearny Mesa:

9225 Clairemont Mesa Blvd.

Property Tax Tent Location*:

County Administration Center, South Lawn

1600 Pacific Highway

San Diego, CA 92101

Hours:

Thursday, April 5: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Friday, April 6:

8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Saturday, April 7: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Kearny Mesa Branch ONLY

Tuesday, April 10: DEADLINE! Tax Tent and all branches open 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Mail Options: Payments by mail will be timely if postmarked by April 10 and sent to:

Treasurer-Tax Collector, P. O. Box 129009, San Diego, CA 92112

Credit Card Payment Options Available

Telephone: Visa or Discover Card

Toll Free: 1 -877-TAX-4SDC (1-877-829-4732)

On Line:

Visa & MasterCard

Website:

www.sdtreastax.com

In Person:

Discover Card Only

E-Check Option Available

To pay by electronic check, go to www.sdtreastax.com, and follow the prompts

Info Line Availability

Those who have not received a tax bill, or need more information, can call the Treasurer-Tax Collector's 24-hour automated information line at (877)TAX-4SDC or (877)829-4732.

Late Payments

10% penalty applies to any tax payment not postmarked/received on April 10, 2007 or before.

^{*}Bilingual customer service representatives available at all locations

^{*}Equipped with a computer and telephone for online phone